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DIVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of <u>Inventors</u>:

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<u>For</u>

Metal Foil Connection, Honeycomb Body, Metal Foil Brazing Medium Particle Fraction for Metal Foils and Method for Manufacturing a Metal Foil Connection

1. Type of Application

This new application is for a

- [x] Divisional
- 2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. 119(e), 120, or 121)
 - [x] The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application. Enclosed are ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED.

3. Papers Enclosed

- A. Required for Filing Date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)
 - 24 Pages of Specification
 13 Pages of Claims
 5 Sheets of Drawing
 [x] Formal
- B. Other Papers Enclosed
 - 1 Page of Abstract

4. Additional Papers Enclosed

- [x] Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. 1.98)
- [x] Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B)

5. Declaration or Oath

[x] Enclosed

Executed by

[x] inventors.

6. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application are:

[x] The same.

7. Language

[x] English

8. Assignment

[x] An assignment of the invention to Emitec Gesellschaft für Emissionstechnologie mbH was filed in parent application No. 10/304,132.

9. Certified Copy

Certified copy of application

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This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of U.S. application No. 10/304,132, filed November 25, 2002, which was a continuation of U.S. application No. 09/917,555, filed July 27, 2001, which was a continuation of International application No. PCT/EP00/00140, filed January 11, 2000, which designated the United States and which was not published in English.